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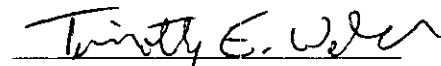
POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES, 1997

Docket No. R97-1

**NOTIFICATION OF WITNESS AVAILABILITY
NIAGARA TELEPHONE COMPANY, INTERVENOR,
WITNESS SYDNEY R. PETERSON
(January 26, 1998)**

Niagara Telephone Company (Niagara), Intervenor, by its attorneys, hereby submits its request that Sydney R. Peterson be scheduled for testimony on February 18, 1997, or as early in the hearing process as the Commission is able to schedule.

Respectfully submitted,
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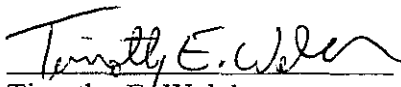
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